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H. John, Esq.	,,	30
John Campbell, Esq.	,,	30
Clement D. Leggatt, Esq.	,,	30
W. Sim, Esq.	,,	30
A. F. Wallace, Esq.	,,	30
John Farrar, Esq.	,,	30

Further subscriptions will be received by the undersigned.

H. BROOKE.
Bombay, Chamber of Commerce, Secretary.
21st January 1862.

REMOVAL.

THE Office of the Bombay Steam Navigation Company has been removed from Apollo Street, No. 6, to No. 20, Medow Street, opposite to Messrs. Chesson and Woodhall's, Fort.

L. C. D. MENEZES,
Manager B. S. N. Co.

MESSRS. N. SORABJEE & Co.

COMMISSION AGENTS AND REGISTRARS OF DOMESTIC SERVANTS, &c.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY for an Out-station, DRAFTSMEN and SURVEYORS.—also a duly qualified European to Superintend the Manufacture and burning of Bricks.

TO BE LET.

AN UPPER PART of a HOUSE, situated in the Fort, well adapted for an office or a Dwelling place. Bell Lane, No. 2.

STABLING for four Horses and one Gharee in the Fort in single Stalls or otherwise. Address "X." care of the *Bombay Gazette* Office.

TO BE LET.

From the 1st of January next.

THE Premises at No. 10, Forbes Street, now in the occupation of Messrs. Herbert & Co. Apply to S. Tyabjee, & Co.
9, Rampart Row.

TO BE LET.

From the 1st February next.

THE SECOND STORY of a HOUSE on the verge of the Esplanade, next to the Small Cause Court. Apply at the Premises.

TO BE LET.

THE COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW, known as the "Elphinstone Lodge," situated at Malabar Hill, in an airy locality, with a number of out-houses. For particulars apply to Hormusjee Jamsetjee Butteewalla Sons & Co., No. 86, Bazar Gate Street, Fort.

TO BE LET.

THE FIRST STORY, with adjoining ROOMS, of the *Printers' Press*, No. 10, Military Square, Fort, either for office, residence of single gentlemen, or godowns. Terms moderate. Apply at the premises.

TO LET.

A LARGE BUNGALOW of good accommodation, on the sea side, situate at Middle Colaba, opposite to Colaba Naval Sanatarium. Apply to Mr. Cowasjee Nanabhoy Davee, near the Oriental Bank, Fort.

TO BE LET.

AN AIRY and COMMODIOUS House, No. 115, situated in Small Colaba, opposite to Messrs. Remington & Co.'s Cotton Screws.

Apply to Manockjee Nowrojee, Cabinet Maker, Medow Street.

TO BE LET,

With immediate entrance.

A COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW, and suitable for a Family, with Stable and Outhouses, situated at Grant Road, without the Fort, and with supply of Vehar Water.

Apply to Manockjee Jeethajee, opposite Cowasjee Patell's Tank, or to Messrs. Dossabhoy and Byramjee & Co., Nesbit Lane, Fort.

FOR SALE.

ZINC AND TIN-LINED PACKING CASES, English-made and in good condition.

Apply to the Office of this Paper.

FOR SALE.

A STRONGLY BUILT PALANQUIN SHIGRAM adapted for one or two horses, in good condition, lately cost upwards of Rs. 400: now offered at 300.

Apply to "A. B." care of the Office of this Paper.

JUST LANDED,

In good order, ex Lady Bebington,

WILLIAMS AND GROISS'S UNEQUALLED DOUBLE-THREAD FAMILY SEWING MACHINES. Very moderately priced for cash on delivery. Apply to S. D'ESPERANCE & Co.
23, Apollo Street.

HERBERT & Co. have opened their premises in Rampart Row, No. 2 and will carry on their extensive business as heretofore, dealing in all kinds of Scientific Instruments, Stationery, Books, Cutlery, Plated-ware, Engineers' and Surveyors' Requisites, &c., &c., of which a large and varied stock will always be kept on hand.

By every Mail H. & Co. are constantly receiving from their London Export House, Stationery, Music, Travellers' Requisites, newly published Books, portable instruments and manufactures of novel discovery, &c., to which they respectfully invite the attention of their Customers

HERBERT & Co.

Rampart Row, near Apollo Gate.

C. STEPHENS AND SONS.

Veterinary Establishment, Commission Stables and Forge.

Baboola Tank Road, Mazagon.

C. S. & SONS take this opportunity of informing the Public, that as much anatomical skill is required in Shoeing a horse *properly*, they are now enabled to arrange so that one of them shall constantly be in attendance at the Forge to superintend the workmen, all of whom are Europeans, and have served their time in one of the first Forges in London. The injury done to animals in this Presidency by the ignorance of Farriers, who, without the slightest knowledge of the anatomy of the Horse's foot, practice their craft, is quite incalculable, and highly detrimental to the public interest.

Terms of Commission—5 per cent.

Certificates given as usual on the Soundness or Unsoundness of Horses for the Fee of Rupees 5.

NOTICE.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, for the Office of the Executive Engineer Dewas and Beaura Section of the Bombay and Agra Road, an Accountant, Salary Rupees sixty five per month. Candidates for the Situation to apply to the Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

W. R. DICKINSON, Lieut. Colonel,
Auditor Public Works Accounts.

Town Hall, 23rd Jan. 1862.

ICE HOUSE NOTICE.

TO RAILWAY AND BUILDING CONTRACTORS.—Just landed and for sale, a small Invoice of Deal Planks, and Boards of varying thickness: also a lot of Railway Sleepers, Burnatized to guard against Decay or White ants.

For samples and particulars apply to.

JAMES REYNELL,
Bombay Ice House.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of 1,253 Teak Logs belonging to the Cochin Government of which 794 are at Ernacollum and 459 at Ponany.

1. Tenders will be received till Monday the 17th February 1862, and will be open on the following day in the Huzoor Cutcherry in the presence of such of the parties interested as may be in attendance.

2. The Logs at the two Depôts [Ernacollum and Ponany] may be tendered for either jointly or separately, but the Tenders must be for the whole quantity at either Depôt, and should specify, at the option of the parties tendering, either a rate per Candy all round or a rate per Candy of each Class.

3. The Candy is equivalent in Malabar Measurement to one Cubic Kole, a Kole being equal to 24½ English Inches.

5. The Timber belongs to the undermentioned Classes, and is classed as follows:—

Length.	Thickness.
3rd Class 16 to 19½ Koles.	12 Borrels and upwards.
4th do. 12 to 15½ do.	10 do. do.
5th do. 8 to 11½ do.	8 do. do.
6th do. 6 to 7½ do.	5 do. do.

6. The Class of each Log to be determined by its actual dimensions without reference to defects of any description, but, for these latter, a deduction of 15 per cent. from the price of the whole quantity will be allowed after the completion of the measurement.

7. The Government reserves to itself the right of rejecting any or all of the Tenders that may be received without assigning a reason for so doing.

8. The Tenders to be addressed to the Dewan of His Highness the Rajah of Cochin and to be superscribed "Tender for Teak Timber."

9. Any further information may be obtained on application to the undersigned.

J. S. VERNEDE,
Commercial Agent to the Cochin Government.
Commercial Office, Ernacollum in Cochin,
10th January 1862.

EXCHANGE RESTAURANT,

Church Gate Street, two doors from the Cathedral.

GENTLEMEN boarding at this Hotel can be provided with first rate Tables and a separate bedroom. Terms Rupees 90 per month.

*** A good Billiard Table Beer and Wines of the first quality.

LOST,

A BLACK SKY TERRIER DOG, with long hair. Whoever finds and returns the same to Dossabhoy Bazonjee, Dubash's Bungalow at Chowpatee, or at his Office in Nesbit Lane, Fort, will receive a reward of Ten Rupees, and any person retaining possession of said Dog after this Notice will be prosecuted.

DOSSABHOY BAZONJEE,
Dubash.

T. WILLIAMSON.

GENTLEMEN'S HAIR CUTTER,

HAIR CUT at the Shop ..... Rs. 1
Do. do. at their own Houses ..... ,, 2

A Supply of the undermentioned Toilet Requisites, and Medical Specifics on hand.

Williamson's Vegetable Hair Oil, for the Growth and Preservation of the Hair. Price Rs. 5 per 4 oz. phials
Do. Anti-Scurf Hair Lotian. Price Rs. 3 per quart.
Williamson's Asthmatic Powders, warranted to cure the Asthma in 15 days at furthest, Rs. 2½ per 1 dozen packets.
Do. Vegetable Dysentery Pills, Rs. 2

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BOMBAY DAILY BILL, SHARE, STOCK, AND FREIGHT LIST.

BOMBAY GAZETTE OFFICE,
Friday, 24th January 1862.

EXCHANGE.

Business was done yesterday on lower terms, the rate fo Bank Bills being 2s. 0 9/16d.

On what Place.	Terms.	Rates.
London (Credits)	6 months' sight ...	2s. 3d.
Do. Documents ...	Do. do.	2s. 0¾d.
Do. Bank Rates ...	Do. do.	2s. 0 7/16d.
Calcutta	sight	100¾
Madras	30 do. do.	99¾
China	60 do. do.	Rs. 213½ per $100

SHARES.

Names	Paid up	Last Half-yearly Dividend	Rates
	Rs.		ex Div.
Bombay Bank	1,000	5 per cent	67 to 68 Prm
Madras Bank	1,000	2½ do.	23 do.
Agra Bank	500	7 do.	70 do.
Oriental Bank Corporation	250	7 do.	95
Commercial Bank	500	4½ do.	13½
Mercantile Bank	250	5 do.	29½
Chartered Bank of W. India,	150	2½ do.	3 Dis.
Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company, Consolidated Shares	318.8.0	2½ do.	Rs. 25 sh. Dis.
Do. New Shares	87.4.4	2½ do.	Rs. 13 do.
Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway	1,000	2½ do.	Nomi. [sh.Div,
Hydraulic Press Company ...	4,000	350 p. sh.	Rs. 250 Dis. p.
Aquila Press Company	11,000	1,650 ½ sh.	Rs. 20,000 do.
Colaba Press Company ...	2,700	300 do.	Rs. 5,500 do.
Colaba Land Company ...	10,000	00 ½ sh.	Rs. 11,000 do.
Elphinstone Land Company	5,100	200 ½ sh.	Rs. 4,500 do.
Bombay Steam Navigation Company	500	32 do.	Rs. 350 dis.
Spinning and Weaving Co.	5,000	1,000 do.	Rs. 500 ½ sh.
Oriental Weaving and Spinning Company ...	2,500	1 Anna [Re 450 ½ sh.	[Prem. nom. Rs. 875 Div
Do. New Shares	625	.....	Rs. 150 Prem.
Do. New Shares	200	.....	Rs. 130 p. sh.
Victoria Spinning Company	5,000	.....	Nominal.
Royal Spinning and Weaving Company	500	.....	Rs. 300 Dis.
Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Company	400	.....	Rs. 300 do.
Manockjee Petit's Spinning and Weaving Company...	550	.....	Rs. 105 do.
Thrustie Mill Company ...	4,000	.....	300 Dis.
Bombay United Spinning Company	4,500	.....	Nominal.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Four Per Cent. Transfer Loan.....	86¼
,, Loan 1835-36.....	86¼
,, Loan 1842-43.....	86¼
,, Loan 1854-55.....	86¼
New Five Per Cent. Loan.....	98¾
Five and a Half Per Cent. Loan.....	105½ to 105¾

PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

Sovereigns, each.....	Rs. 10-4
Bank of England Notes.....	Nominal.
Spanish Dollars	Rs. 230 Nominal.
Carolus	,, 250 do.
Mexican Dollars	,, 227 do.
German Crowns.....	,, 213½ do.
Five Franc Pieces	,, 204
Bar Silver.....	,, 106
Gold Leaf	,, 16-8

FREIGHTS.

To Liverpool (Cotton).....	£3	0s. 0d.	£3 2s. 6d.
,, (Seeds).....	£2	15s. 0d.	£2 17s. 6d.
To London (Cotton)	£2	15s. 0d.	Nominal.
,, (Seeds)	£2	10s. 0d.	£2 12s. 6d.
To Rice Ports	£3	15s. 0d.	
To China	Rs.	10 0d.	
To Clyde	no offers.		

PRICES CURRENT (JANUARY 22nd 1862.)

COTTON:	Per candy.
Broach, Surat, and Jumboosur, (new) *nom.* at Rs.	160 to 162
Dholleras, Bhownuggur, (new).....	,, 164 to 165
Oomrawtee (new)	,, 169 to 162
Surnee, (new)	,, 159 to 152
Khandeish, (new)	,, 142 to 144
Mangalore, (new)	,, 148 to 150
Varawal, (new)	,, 148 to 150
Compta, (new)	,, 163 to 164
Sawginned Dharwar	,, 216 to 218
OPIUM.—Malwa, Nom. 1510 to 1315.	
SEEDS—Linseed, Candeish ....at Rs. 5-8 per cwt.	
Rapeseed, Guzerat	,, 6-10 to 6-12 ,,
Gingelly mixed, (Black and White)	,, 24 to 25
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Detail of Exports from 15th to 21st Jan. 1862.	Chests.	Value.
Per Peninsular & Oriental Steamer of the 18th Inst. for Suez and Europe.		
Per Overland Mail of the 18th Inst. for Europe.		
Per Sailing Vessels for Europe	2	1,200
Per Sailing Vessels for Ports in the Straits	1	1,000
Total.....	3	2,200

Of the Season 1859-60.	Chests.	Value.
Per Peninsular & Oriental Steamer of the 18th Inst. for Suez and Europe.		
Per Overland Mail of the 18th Inst. for Europe.		
Per Sailing Vessels for Europe	1,500	1,050,000
Per Sailing Vessels for Ports in the Straits		
Total.....	1,500	1,050,000

Of the Season 1861-62.	Chests.	Value.
Per Peninsular & Oriental Steamer of the 18th Inst. for Suez and Europe.		
Per Overland Mail of the 18th Inst. for Europe.		
Per Sailing Vessels for Europe	None.	
Per Sailing Vessels for Ports in the Straits		
Total.....		

C. J. DAVIES,
Acting Deputy Commissioner of Customs, Salt, and Opium, P.D.

(Errors excepted)

Years.	Exported by Sea.	Imported into Bombay.	Passed Overland.
For 1859-60	43,869	4,664	4,683
For 1860-61	37,238	2,907	4,149
For 1861-62	31	459	2,148

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1862.

LATEST DATES RECEIVED IN BOMBAY.

ENGLAND	26 Dec.	CEYLON	12 Jan.
FRANCE	28 Dec.	CHINA	31 Dec.
MALTA	30 Dec.	SINGAPORE	6 Jan.
ALEXANDRIA	31 Dec.	PENANG	7 Jan.
SUEZ	4 Jan.	CALCUTTA	15 Jan.
ADEN	11 Jan.	MADRAS	18 Jan.
MAURITIUS	6 Dec.	N. W. PROVINCES	18 Jan.
CAPE	5 Nov.	SCINDE—KURRACHEE	17 Jan.
AUSTRALIA	25 Nov.	PUNJAUB	15 Jan.
BANGALORE	17 Jan.	RANGOON	25 Dec.

WE received yesterday papers from Calcutta of the 15th instant, from Madras and the North-West Provinces of the 18th, from Kurrachee of the 17th and from Poona of Wednesday last.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(By Electric Telegraph.)

MADRAS.

THURSDAY, 22*nd Jan.* 1862.

Securities Five-and-half per cent. four and five-eighths premium.

Fives one and-three quarters discount.

Fours fourteen-and-three-quarters discount.

Document Bills, two shillings and one penny.

Freight, dead weight thirty-five to forty shillings. Light Goods seventy to one hundred and ten shillings.

Interest five per cent.

Money market easy.

Forty inches Grey Shirtings five rupees.

Mule Twist good number second three-and-a-half rupees per bundle.

THE Mails for Muscat per *Bugla Luckmeepersad* will be closed to-day at two o'clock P. M.

SIR HOPE GRANT, Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army, is about to proceed to Calcutta, to hold an interview with the Governor General, on the proposal regarding the disbandment of eight more regiments of the Madras Army.

THE Public Meeting to vote an address of condolence to Her Majesty the Queen on the occasion of her late bereavement, and the public loss, by the death of Prince Albert, it will be remembered, is to be held in the Town Hall this afternoon, at half past three o'clock.

Business generally, it is believed, will be suspended, and we are permitted to state that the Government Offices will also be closed.

IT will be recollected, says the *Bengal Hurkaru*, that "a short time back we narrated the case of a young princeling of the House of Mysore, who attempted a fraud on the Bank of Bengal, by trying to pass off a Rupees 10 note, which he had clumsily defaced, as a note for Rupees 1000. The case was taken up by the magistrate of the 24-Purgunnahs, Mr. Montresor, and the unfortunate young man has been found guilty and sentenced to seven years imprisonment with labor in Alipore jail. Prince Kumroodin is grandson of Prince Gholam Mahomed, and third in descent from the famous Tippoo Sultan."

THE health of the town has improved considerably during the past week. There have not been so many cases of cholera, but fever is still prevalent, although there have not been nearly so many cases as last week. The official mortuary report for this period shews the number of deaths to be 395, being 79 fewer than the preceding week, but 72 above the average of the past ten years. There were 116 deaths from cholera. The deaths from fever were lower being 157. From diseases of the nervous, respiratory, alimentary, urinary, and locomotive systems there were 11, 22, 49, 2, and 4 deaths respectively. There were 27 deaths from cachexy and debility, and 2 from dropsy. The casualties from accidents and violence amounted to 4. In order of caste, the deaths may be classed as follows :—Hindoos, 255; Mahomedans, 87; Parsees, 19; Jews, 2; Native Christians, 16; Indo-Europeans, 2; Europeans, 11; and Negro Africans, 3.

THE Governor's speech to the Legislative Council, which we published yesterday, was as good as could have been expected. We are told that, from having been spoken in English, it was unintelligible to the native members except the Hon'ble Juggonath Sunkersett and the Hon'ble Rustomjee Jamsetjee. And yesterday we see it was published in a *Government Gazette* extra, but still only in English, so that the honourable members for the Mofussil must continue not to know of their own knowledge what the Governor said. How much they have lost by this we do not undertake to say, though unless their presence in Council is to be a farce, some means must be taken, for the future, of informing them what is going on. We conclude that all projects of laws will be translated into the native languages, and that ample opportunity will be given, not only to those gentlemen, but to all non-English speaking natives, of understanding what is proposed to be made law before it becomes so.

We have said that the Governor's speech was as good as could have been expected. It was a frank acknowledgment of a new order of things, and of a responsibility to public opinion, which does His Excellency, as a good old Tory, which we believe he is, very much credit, for we cannot suppose that he meant only for the new members what he said about being required to give to those whom they represented "a strict account of the fulfilment of their duties." The Governor is himself as much a representative of the public as any one of the gentlemen whom he addressed, and indeed ought to be more so than his own nominees, whom he declares to be representatives of the public, but whom he cannot make so, if they are not.

That was a neat compliment to the natives with which Sir George wound up one sentences, where speaking of their respectability, he added, "whenever authority is respectable." Only fancy Authority keeping a Gig!

Upon the whole, we hope to derive some amusement and instruction from this new Council,—particularly amusement, of which we are greatly in need in these dull times.

THE letter of the Secretary to the Government of India embodying Lord Canning's views regarding the course taken by the Bengal Government with reference to the dispute between the ryots and European landholders in Lower Bengal, is nothing less than a censure. What in one word is the sum and substance of the letter? It is this—you have wilfully misapprehended the instructions given to you regarding the duties to be performed by the Special Commissioners; consequently you have signally failed to accomplish the object intended by the Government of India in the appointment of a Special Commission; and you must go and do your work over again without blinking the most important point in the instructions, or disobeying the orders, of Government. Any one who reads with the least intelligence and candour the letter embodying Lord Canning's views will see that, although couched in milder, more gentlemanly and less explicit diction, such is its real meaning. In all this the *Times of India* cannot see the least censure. The senses and sensibilities of some are so obtuse and dull that they cannot perceive or feel censure unless the censurer, suiting the action to the word, administers a kick. We have no doubt that Mr. J. P. Grant will take the hint and not wait for the kick. We say that the terms of the letter imply a charge of wilful misapprehension on the part of the Government of Bengal; because the letter indicates very significantly, and dwells very strongly on, the most important point in the instructions given by the Government of India as having been misapprehended by the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal; and this, too, when the Governor-General, whose views are embodied in the letter, knew perfectly well that that point was the very one which Mr. Grant was determined not to see, to which he obstinately shut his eyes. The letter distinctly says :—

"It was clearly shewn to be the wish of the Governor General in Council, *First*, that the Special Commissioner should make it his primary and immediate care in every case to adjust the differences and to bring about a settlement between the landholders and their ryots, devoting his whole time and attention to this work: *Secondly*, that, on failure of all attempts to effect such an adjustment the law should be promptly administered, and *Thirdly*, that enquiry should be made into certain points and the result reported with the opinion of the Special Commissioner for the information of the Government. The last point indeed was indicated rather as auxiliary to the main object of his mission and with a view to future action, than as one of the immediate purposes for which he was to be deputed.

"Now it appears to the Governor General in Council from the terms in which the instructions of the Lieutenant-Governor to the Special Commissioners are referred to by those gentlemen in their reports, as well as from the general tenor of their proceedings, and from the observations of the Lieutenant-Governor contained in your letter of the 5th September, that the importance of the first and principal duty imposed on the Special Commissioners was never fully realized, and that they were regarded both by His Honor and by themselves as appointed rather to enquire into exisiting difficulties than to remove them."

The object of the Government of India in the appointment of the Special Commissioners was to adopt *active and special measures* with the view of arresting the spread of any belief among the ryots that they could with impunity refuse to discharge their just liabilities. Now it was Mr. Grant's own language, as well as that of his subordinates acting under his instructions, which spread such a belief amongst the ryots. Mr. Grant, therefore, found it very convenient to blink the first and most important point in the instructions given by the Governor General for the direction of the Commissioners. Upon this important point the letter dwells fully. "The design of the Governor-General in Council," it says, "as expressed in my letter was that the Special Commissioner should go in succession to each village in which resistance to the payment of rents had been shewn, beginning with those in which the resistance had been greatest, and after summoning the ryots and warning them against a neglect to pay their just rents, that he should call upon them to state whether they were willing to pay or not, and if not their reason for refusing. He was to explain to the ryots that his mission had nothing to do with indigo, but only with the wilful withholding of just rents; that this was a thing which the Government would not tolerate; that if the ordinary law for the recovery of rents should be found inefficient against a general refusal of large bodies of ryots to pay their rents, the Government would not hesitate "to have recourse to proceedings of a sharper or more summary character," and that this must be the inevitable consequence of any combination among them to withhold payment. He was also to caution them against listening to the mischievous advice of any person who might instigate them to such a ruinous course."

The letter then goes on to say, there is no evidence of any persevering and systematic endeavor having been made by either Commissioner to bring about a clear understanding on the several points in dispute between the contending parties, or a permanent and final adjustment of their differences: that the Lieutenant Governor shared the imperfect view of the functions of the Special Commissioners, as is shown by the letter of his Secretary, in which no notice is taken even of the partial attempt at adjustment made in individual cases, much less of the absence of any general plan or policy of reconciliation; no allusion is made to the possibility of promoting reconciliation between the parties by earnest and judicious action on the part of the Government, and of hastening the time at which this most important and vital end may be attained. After expressing very decidedly the views of the Governor-General, that a more systematic and persevering attempt to effect a settlement in an amicable way ought to have been made, and that much good would have been effected by such an attempt, and a considerable advance made towards a final settlement of the unhappy disputes, the letter says :—

"Considering therefore the expectation held out to the Landholders' and Commercial Association by the order of the 11th March, the Governor General in Council is of opinion that they are justified in again asking, as they have done, that a Special Commissioner, or as many as may be required, should be sent into the disturbed districts of Nuddea and Jessore, vested with ordinary powers of a Magistrate and Collector, not for the purpose of putting down combinations and enforcing payment of rents, but for that of restoring the mutual confidence and good feeling which ought to exist between landlord and ryot for effecting a peaceable adjustment of differences wherever that is possible, and for supporting by their counsel and influence the action of the Law as administered by local Courts in cases in which resort to legal proceedings cannot be avoided."

Accordingly, the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal is instructed to appoint another Commission, and, moreover, is instructed as to the character of the men whom he is to appoint. The Governor-General could not even trust Mr. Grant in regard to the character of the men to be appointed. A great deal more is said in the letter in the way of censure, which we have not space to give. We have no hesitation in saying that the letter is one of severe censure from beginning to end. The *Times of India* "forbears to inflict the letter upon his readers," he had very good reason for doing so, after having denied that it contained "one word of censure throughout," and after having charged his Calcutta contemporaries, with "untruthfulness" in describing it as one of censure.

THE news from America becomes more and more satisfactory, that is, it is more and more promising as regards an amicable solution of the "difficulty." We have never believed that the issue would be war between mother and daughter: not merely because the wish in this case has been father to the thought, but because we have too favorable an opinion of President Lincoln to admit of the belief that he would either sanction the act of Commander Wilkes or refuse to make honorable reparation for it. There has been nothing in his conduct hitherto to warrant such a belief. We have too favorable an opinion, moreover, of the good sense of the influential portion of the American people to believe that they would deliberately go to battle from the same class of people in act differently from understand an excited people spending a good deal of energy in passionate talk and gesticulation, and we can make every allowance for it. It is not a fact, however, that the whole country, not only of events, but virtually of speech in America, lies with reckless, popularity-hunting adventurers, and that the moderate and prudent portion of the community are help less. In this very matter of the seizure of the Confederate envoys, there has been among the more intelligent classes in the Northern States, even amid the popular rejoicings at the news of the capture, an instinctive feeling that the event rejoiced over raised a great danger, and would in the end prove a great misfortune. It is well known that among those participating in that feeling are the President and several members of the Cabinet, who would much rather that Slidell and Mason were in Europe than at Boston. They have seen that the act of Captain Wilkes in seizing the envoys would operate strongly in the promotion of the very end which it ostensibly defeated. Slidell and Mason would have been utterly powerless at London and Paris; but they are not likely to be powerless where they are. They could never have shaken the decision of the European Governments to remain neutral, nor could they have got a hearing from those Governments on the subject. Their seizure, however, under the peculiar circumstances in which it occurred has not only afforded an opportunity, but devolved a necessity, of interference on the English Government. We believe, therefore, that the moderate and prudent portion of the community of the Northern States, to which the President and several influential members of his Cabinet belong, will not allow matters to go further than they have already gone. It must be remembered that whatever has been done by the House of Representatives, that portion of the Congress which is more subservient to the populace, is of little importance *per se*, and must remain so unless supported by a corresponding vote of the Senate or by a declaration of the President or the Cabinet collectively. There has been no declaration by the senate on the subject of the seizure, nor any by the Cabinet as a body. The President passed over the subject in silence in his recent Message to Congress: and it has been very justly observed that "the President and his advisers had resolved to wait to hear of the manner in which the affair had been met in England and throughout Europe, and that, having thus paused, they will not be likely when the accounts reach them to act with sudden recklessness." Indeed, the President's reply to impetuous men, who endeavor to demonstrate to him the power of the Federal States to beat England in a conflict upon their stories, is "one war at a time"—a very sensible reply in all conscience. No anxiety, in short, is felt by the American Government as to the possibility of avoiding hostilities with foreign Powers. We have already on previous occasions expressed our own views of the character of Captain Wilkes' act. They coincide entirely with those expressed by the Right Honble Frederick Peel, M. P., in a speech which he recently delivered to his constituents at Bury. He said :—

"To come to the last transaction, the taking of two gentlemen from an English mail packet. It had to be considered first whether they were liable to seizure. They were not liable to be seized as rebels, because a country which was carrying on a war against its own subjects as rebels had no right of war whatever over a neutral country. They might be treated as rebels by the Northern States; but in their negotiations with this country they must argue as if they were belligerents, or they had no right whatever to do what they had done. The Southern Commissioners were not liable to seizure as contraband of war, because, elastic as that term was, he never yet heard it extended to things and persons which were coming from the seat of war, and proceeding to a neutral country. They were not liable to seizure as enemy's goods, although they might have been if they were of African descent. But they were free men. It had been laid down that ambassadors might be seized by their enemies while on their passage; but the question we had to consider was whether they might be seized upon the deck of a neutral vessel. Was there any difference between territory afloat on the high seas, which the deck of a vessel was, and territory on land? President Davis thought there was no difference, for he said that the American Government had as much right to seize the two gentlemen in the streets of London as upon the deck of the vessel. He (Mr. Peel) confessed that he was not clear on that point, and he would rather reserve his opinion until he had heard the question more fully discussed. As to the other ground on which we impeached the legality of the act there could be no question whatever. The men might have been liable to seizure, but they were not legal prizes until they were condemned by a decree of a competent court of justice. They were under the protection of England, of which they could not be divested except by judicial sentence. It would be idle to speculate upon the answer of the American Government, the interim, our course should be to hope for the best. The act was not yet the act of the American Government. She might disavow, she might adopt as her own, and assert the perfect legality of, the act of Captain Wilkes. If she did the latter, let us hear her reasons. But if she could not deny the wrong, and yet would deny us redress, then it would be for us to consider whether we should maintain our right, which was the common right of all civilized nations. A weak nation in Central America, under like provocation, the other day protested and then remained inactive. But England was strong, and her arm, which providence had endowed with strength, would never be stronger than when it was uplifted in the cause of self-defence, and in the cause of right and justice."

Sir F. Baring, in a speech recently delivered at Portsmouth, expressed sentiments which we believe to be those of the British people. He said :—

"It was perfectly right—nay, it was their duty—that they should consider the two parties in the state of affairs as belligerents. This act of Captain Wilkes could not have justified any search except that given as a belligerent. The act naturally roused a strong feeling, as it touched upon two points which were probably more sacred with Englishmen than any other—he referred to the honour of the British flag, and to the right of protection to strangers. No doubt they, living in the first naval port in the kingdom, felt very warmly on the subject, but they must not think they were more earnest for the honour of the British flag than those residing in the most remote inland district. The same feeling reigned all throughout England. With regard to the second question, there was no matter of which we were more proud—and which we had the right to be—than our determination to protect the stranger. The Protestant refugee under Louis XIV. found a home here; the Catholic Priest in the French Revolution was received and protected. The Spanish exile, the Italian exile, the Hungarian, the French of all classes and opinions—all were received; and, without wishing to know so much as their opinions, they at least found a resting place. Mad indeed must be the man who would arouse the country on such points. It was no wonder that the feelings of the people should have been aroused, but it was not by their feelings that they must be actuated. They must deal with the question in a strictly legal manner; not what they would wish, but what they had the right to enforce. In that view, the question required all the calmness which it was possible to command. He was no lawyer, yet he believed that which had been demanded by our Government was right and proper. It is not a question whether they were contraband or not. The law of nations gives the right of search for contraband of war, but not to take possession of it—not to set up an officer's opinion as conclusive of the law of nations; but to convey the vessel into a neighbouring port, and to take the opinion of a competent tribunal. Until that was done the action was illegitimate. He would not go into the question of what was contraband—that was quite aside. If that ship had contained arms and ammunition for the Southern States, Captain Wilkes would have had no right to have touched a single gun or a particle of the powder until he had obtained the sanction of a competent Court."

Local News.

WE are requested to state that in consequence of the annual meeting of the Bombay Bible Society being necessarily fixed for this day, the United Prayer Meeting will not be held in the Free Church, Esplanade.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE MARATHI DNYANPRASARAK SOCIETY, for the election of office bearers for the next session will be held in the rooms of the Elphinstone Institution, this evening, at half past seven o'clock P. M.

The members of the Society only are requested to attend.

PROFESSOR MCCOLLUM'S second Representation of Equestrian and Acrobatic feats on Wednesday evening was a complete success. The favourable impression made on the mind of the public on the first appearance of the company attracted a large number of spectators; and this evening there being an entire change of representation, it is expected the number of visitors will be still larger. The fame of the troupe is extending far and wide amongst all classes of the community in Bombay, and we have no doubt each successive performance will be witnessed by hundreds of people.

INSOLVENT DEBTORS' COURT.

Notice is hereby given, that the Petitions of the several Persons hereunder named and described have been presented to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, Bombay, praying respectively, for the benefit of the Act made and passed in the eleventh year of Victoria, Chapter XXI :—

Hormasjee Shapoorjee, a dubash; date of petition filed, 9th Jan. 1862.

Charles Briggs, a fitter; Bhimjee Nathoo, a coppersmith; and Esoobhoy Moolee Esmailjee, a general merchant; date of petition filed, 10th Jan. 1862.

Lourenco Antonio de Rozario, unemployed; and Balcrustna Wisswunath (*alias* Banajee Wisswunath), Maratha writer; date of petition filed, 13th Jan. 1862.

Damodher Ramchunder, a clerk in the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General's Office; date of petition filed, 14th Jan. 1862.

Ahmed Rahim, unemployed; date of petition filed, 15th Jan. 1862.

Damodhur Mohun, Annundee, and Velloo, the first Insolvent is unemployed, and the two latter are Courtezans; date of petition filed, 16th Jan. 1862.

Bhasker Bhayeesett, an English writer; date of petition filed, 17th Jan. 1862.

Moolna Goolam Hussoon Hassunally, a Doctor; date of petition filed, 18th Jan. 1862.

Khoja Mahomed Khemjee, dry fish seller; Woomda woman, a Courtezan; Merwanjee Manockjee, a dealer in bangles; and Merwanjee Nasserwanjee, a contractor; date of petition filed, 20th Jan. 1862.

Orders in the matters of the abovenamed Insolvents' petitions, that the real and personal Estates and Effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honorable Court, under Clause VII. of the said Act, have been duly made.

Days appointed for Hearing the Petitions of the undermentioned Insolvents.

Merwanjee Manockjee,—1st Monday in Feb. next, at 11 o'clock.

Robert Michael Kemp; Woomda Woman; Hormusjee Shapoorjee; Bhimjee Nathoo; Balcrustna Wisswunath (*alias* Banajee Wisswunath); Abdool Poker, Hoossain Ossman, Mahomed Mummee, Adama Cooty Hussen, Rujub Ebrahim, Keyah Woman, Unjumali Woman; Coonjimali Woman; Bhasker Bhayeesett; Succaram Pandoojee; Damodhur Mohun, Annundee, and Velloo,—3rd Monday in Feb. next, at 11 o'clock.

The abovenamed Insolvents have filed Schedules of their Debts, Estates, and Effects in my Office. Opposing Creditors must file their Claims, verified by Affidavit, and pay the usual Fees, at my Office, at least three days before the Hearing.

J. W. ORR,
Clerk of the Court.

Clerk of the Court's Office, Fort, Bombay,
this 21st day of January 1862.

Law Intelligence.

SUPREME COURT,—PLEA SIDE.

List of Causes for Trial this day.

21 Richard Parson, *vs.* The P. & O. Steam Navigation Company. Part heard.

20 Doe on the demise of Jehangeer Bazenjee, *vs.* Roe afterwards Shaik Ebrahimb in Shaik Cassum.

21 Shamjee Gopall, *vs.* Tapidass Treebhoovundass &c.

22 William Watson, *vs.* John Watson, and another carrying on trade, &c.

23 Runsordass Bhowanydass *vs.* Charles Durand and another.

INDIAN RESIDENTS IN ENGLAND.

(From the Overland Mail, Dec. 26.)

We alluded in our last to the advantages which we conceived would arise from the establishment of an institution in London for the reception of native gentlemen from India desiring to visit this country for purposes either of business or of pleasure. We are glad now to learn that the project which we hinted at is likely to take substantial shape, and that something like a good practical scheme for the furtherance of this object is likely soon to be made public. We hear, too, that our native friends are bestirring themselves in other ways, and that the different native associations in India are likely ere long to be represented in this country both by a branch society in London and by an accredited literary organ. We confess that we have heard these reports with very great satisfaction. We wish the voice of India to be heard in this country—we wish our native friends to have the means readily at hand of appealing, without any delusive intermediate agency, to those to whom their destinies are entrusted. Windy orators claiming to be the only exponents of genuine Indian feeling, and inscribing the clap-trap words "Justice for India" on their banners, have too long been leading astray the public mind—seeking their own interests under a pretence of promoting the welfare of others. We wish the natives of India to speak for themselves; to declare what are their real wants; and to decide who are their real friends. They are but feebly represented in this country, if they are represented at all. Let them, then, come freely to England and freely represent their opinions. At present there is everything to discourage them, and the consequence is that a native of India seldom comes to England except when he has something to solicit for himself or for others. The real claimant generally remains in India, though experience has shown that principals may succeed whilst agents only involve them in costly failure. But the visit to England, with all its inconveniences and all its sacrifices, is at present a terrible affair, and enough to deter any one from seeking our shores, who can afford to endure vicariously the sufferings of a residence amongst us. All this may be obviated, and it is much in itself that there should be an asylum for the reception of native gentlemen, where they are not likely to be devoured by the birds of prey which continually hover over them. With these advantages, men would come with nothing to ask for,—men of rank, who might mix in English society, and carry back with them to India a clear impression of the resources of our country, and, we doubt not, feelings of increased attachment and loyalty to the British throne. The projects to which we have referred, being fairly carried out, the natives of India in this country, instead of being so many scattered units without any common interests, or any common centre of attraction, or any public opinion to influence their conduct and control their actions, may become an associated body—a community of Indian subjects of Her Majesty, working for the general good of their countrymen, and bearing themselves worthily amongst us, without scandal and without reproach. Nothing can be more unsatisfactory than the present condition of Indian residents in England. Some very unpleasant illustrations of this have recently been afforded by the records of our law courts. But whatever the advantages of the proposed movement may be in its social aspects, it is still more important in its political bearings; for it is proposed that every possible effort should be made to render England intimately acquainted with the actual condition and the genuine wants of India; and there is nothing more desirable than that the general popular ignorance of Indian affairs should be dispersed, and the general apathy stirred into national concern.

LATEST ENGLISH NEWS.

THE WARNING INFLICTED ON THE DEBATS.

(From the Globe, Dec. 26.)

The following passage is quoted as the principal motive of the warning given to the *Debats* :—

"Nor have we any wish to discuss with M. Troplong the fundamental principles of the Constitution of 1852; we should perhaps affirm, with the assent of many a person, that the most fundamental principle of that Constitution is the Emperor, and that it is to indulge in the illusion of a jurisconsult, always too easily captivated by texts, to believe that it is the Empire that sustains the Emperor, and not the Emperor that sustains the Empire."

The warning declares that the article in question is written in a factious spirit, seeking to shake men's faith in the force and duration of the present institutions; and that the doctrines professed in it are a flagrant denial of the principles on which the French people have founded the Imperial throne and the future of the dynasty. In consequence a warning is given to the journal in the person of the writer of the article, and of M. Edouard Bertin, the responsible editor.

THE SOUTHERN STATES.

(From the Times, Dec. 25.)

Mr. Maury, who is so well known to all navigators and to all scientific men, has addressed a long letter to Admiral Fitz Roy, containing an apology for the step he has taken of resigning his post at the Washington Observatory, and devoting himself to the cause of his compatriots of the South. Mr. Maury's history of the grievances of the Southern States is much too elaborate for our columns, but the following extracts contain nearly all that relates to the present state of the conflict :—

"President Lincoln has by his own mere dictum, and that of his lieutenants, suspended the writ of *habeas corpus*. He has muzzled the press and abridged the freedom of speech. He has, without authority of law, and against the Constitution, which he is sworn to defend and support, plunged the country into war, murdered our citizens, burnt our houses, and is wasting their substance. He has, without warrant, seized unoffending citizens, and, without acquainting them with the nature of their offence, has imprisoned them in loathsome dungeons. He has set aside the civil authorities and declared martial law to rule in their stead, and, under the tyrant's plea, he is proceeding to do a great many acts and things which would more become the savage and the brute. He has sent against us an army, and provided them with manacles to bind us in his prisons. His Zouaves who fell at Manassas were equipped with halters already adjusted for our necks and the lamp post; and, first having treated medicines, drugs, and surgical instruments as contraband of war, he leaves after defeat in battle his wounded to be cared for by us whom he had sought to deprive of remedies. After his defeat at the battle of Bull's Run, he sent neither flag to bury his dead nor physicians to treat his wounded. In short, Lincoln and his myrmidons are preparing to enact upon us the scenes of La Vendee in the French Revolution.

"Though not so mighty in numbers nor so rich in warlike supplies as the enemy, we are 8,000,000 of people, thrice armed, in that our quarrel is just. Fighting for our homes, we are mighty in battle. In mere lust the enemy is fighting for power and conquest; we, for firesides, the graves of our fathers, dear life, and all that is precious to the heart and to civilization. Our cause is holy; theirs hellish. We cannot, we will not be subjugated.

"The contrast is frequently drawn by our old men between the conduct of the English in the war of 1812 and the conduct of the hordes of Lincoln now. The English invaded us, but respected the property and regarded the rights of unarmed citizens. The same counties have been invaded by Lincoln. He has devastated and laid them waste, and for what? Why, simply to compel us to submit to his governance. Suppose he should succeed, would not success overturn the whole fabric of the Constitution? The Republic was founded on the consent of the governed. Failing in this, it is no longer either a Republic or any other form of government that has at its foundation the will of the people. It is a tyranny. We want nothing of the North. We choose not to submit to Northern domination; we are fighting simply to be let alone, and to be permitted to govern ourselves in our own way.

"The South presents the remarkable spectacle of an army having in its ranks the first men and best talents of the country. To subdue or conquer such an army is simply an impossibility, for its soldiers are fighting for all that makes life dear to them. I fight with a price upon my head and a halter around my neck. Nor I alone, but every man of mark or substance among us. Lincoln's men are not made of such stuff; for they are for the most part mere hirelings, and their armies in battle are strengthened by no such hope and moved by no such fears as those which inspire us. They talk of a reconstruction of the Government and a reunion of the people. Simply, and in few words, reannexation to the British Crown is more possible.

"I very much desire that the friends of free government in Europe should be correctly informed as to the true state of things with us; for your information being chiefly derived through our enemies, it is of course onesided, and generally, also, it is not only erroneous, but wilfully mendacious. The papers at the North that plead our cause, or stare the truth about this war, are suppressed by Lincoln's mere *sic jubeo*. The large majority of us, they would have you believe, are opposed to secession and this war. Saving some of the Western counties of this State, and a few in East Tennessee, I have never known the people so united upon any subject. The women, if possible, are more enthusiastic than the men; they form of one mind, and the clergy are as earnest as the women. In the week the clergy are, of their own free will, drilling and being drilled to arms; their churches are given up to the women, who, with needles and sewing machines, congregate there to make clothing for the soldiers. On Sundays, from the pulpit, the holiness of the war and the righteousness of our cause are preached to the people. In battles, you find clergymen among the foremost of the fight. We have on our side a bishop for a general, holy divines for colonels, majors, captains, and soldiers in the ranks. Never was a people more united and in earnest than the people of the Confederate State are at this moment.

"Yes, you have heard something too of our starving—of our inability to produce breadstuffs and provisions enough for our own use, &c. To make you believe that would be requiring you to renounce your belief in physical geography, for that shows that within the Confederate States we have the finest of climates; our lands are unsurpassed in fertility; we are a planting, and farming, and a planting people. Educated in the South, I never saw a beggar until I entered the navy and went to New York. Such is the habitual abundance that the very few poor who are found among us are provided for without calling on the people for poor-rates. Our Southern laws recognize no such tax. The staples of Georgia are cotton and rice, yet the census shows that according to population Georgia furnishes as much wheat as New York and New York is one of the wheat growing States of the North. Never have the grain crops of the South been more abundant than they now are. The blockade of our ports, admitting it to be effectual, would not interfere with us as to any of the necessaries of life. It may cut off our supplies of tea and coffee, and the various articles of merchandise that we have been accustomed to get abroad; but even this does not amount even to a privation, for we submit to these wants as a self-denial and a discipline that is all for our good.

"I see no end to this wicked and savage war as long as the arch spirits which surround Lincoln remain in power. Before and after every battle we hold out the olive branch, demanding peace, but we do not desire to subjugate or invade his people. We are simply trying to cut loose from them, and to have nothing to do with them or their institutions one way or the other. As a proof which we wished to give them and the world of our forbearance and sincerity, behold the movements of the enemy since the battle of Manassas. We have not attempted to follow up that single victory by a single act of invasion. Rely upon it, the old Union is irretrievably gone and secession is rapidly gaining ground. The thinking men in several of the free States are daily beginning to cast about for fresh compacts, for new political and social combinations; and among the new developments which the morrow may bring forth, be not surprised to find Pennsylvania and perhaps New Jersey, seeking admission into our new Republic, as one of the States of the Confederacy."

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

FRANCE.

(From the Times, Dec. 25.)

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, *Tuesday, Dec.* 24, 7 A. M.

A telegraphic despatch has been received in Paris announcing the landing of Spanish troops, with Marshal Serrano, at Vera Cruz. The cause alleged for this haste was the apprehension of a massacre of the Spanish residents by the Mexicans.

I am assured that another, and, if correct, still more important despatch, has been communicated to the American Minister here, to the effect that the Washington Cabinet had decided on surrendering the Southeren Commissioners captured on board the Trent. The despatch in question was, I understand, received from America direct by the Minisier, but only through a well-known firm in Paris who had so received it.

The latest accounts received in Paris from St. Petersburg state that if the Government does not relax its system of oppression a catastrophe may be expected. The general discontent had reached even the Imperial Guard. Several copies of Hertzen's *Cloche* had been discovered in the possession of officers at Cronstadt, who were immediately arrested. To add to these complications, a financial crisis prevailed in the government of Kiev. Several manufacturers had closed their works. The engagements of the houses which have already stopped payment amount to nearly a million pounds sterling. The engagements of one banker who failed at Berdyschev are estimated at two million roubles.

The collection on Sunday in the English church in Paris (Rue d' Aguesseau) for the British Charitable Fund amounted to 1,200*l*. The Rev. Mr. Forbes, in the course of his sermon, touched on the national loss sustained in the death of Prince Albert. He said there was scarcely a wife or mother in England whose tears had not fallen on the occasion, for Royalty was deeply enshrined in the affections of the people.

The shops in Paris occupied by Englishmen remained closed yesterday as a mark of respect to Queen Victoria.

The Imperial Commission for the Universal Exhibition of 1862 has just published its 24th bulletin, in which it states that the plans for the installation of the greater number of products are now complete, and calls on the various categories of persons intending to exhibit to act in concert with a view to making their exhibition as effective as possible by a harmonious arrangement of their productions. It also complains of the conduct of certain exhibitors, who, having expressed their dissatisfaction at the space of 8 metres at first assigned, now that the commission has obtained twice that space, say that 7 metres will be enough for them, thus endangering the effect of the French Exhibition by leaving unsightly vacancies and rendering a new arrangement necessary. The commission also urges the necessity of having the products ready in good time to occupy the space assigned to those whose products are not delivered at the French railway stations by the 10th of March will be transferred to others who require more room. The general plan of the French Agricultural Exhibition is now complete, and comprises three subdivisions for the products of the North, Centre, and South, with two other subdivisions for Algeria and the French colonies.

A model in wood of the statue to be erected to Prince Eugène has just been put up in the Place bearing his name. It is painted to imitate bronze, and represents the Prince in the costume of a General, his left hand on his sword, and his right holding the Constitution of the Kingdom of Italy. The statue faces the Carrière du Pape, and has been made expressly for the purpose of showing the effect which the definitive monument will produce.

The distribution of prizes at the Palais des Beaux Arts took place on Saturday in the amphitheatre painted by Paul Delaroche. The Minister of State presided, and delivered an address, which was loudly applauded. The grand medal for painting was awarded to M. Pierre Dupuis, and one to Assalin. M. Perrault and M. Naegel. The grand medal for sculpture was not awarded, but M. Borel and M. Nathan obtained *accessits*. In architecture M. Gaudet obtained the first medal; *accessits* were awarded to M. Pascal and M. Nathan. M. Gaudet obtained the Blouet prize.

M. Phocion Roque, who for many years filled the post of Charge d' Affaires of the King of Greece at Paris, has been appointed to a similar post at Turin. He will leave Pairs in a few days for the Italian capital.

Indian Intelligence.

BENGAL.

Colonel Birch of the late 6th, left Calcutta a few days ago to take command of the 104th at Meerut.—*Hurkaru, Jan.* 15.

The ship *Newcastle*, bound for London, will leave Calcutta to-morrow, with the following passengers :—Captain Maxwell, H. M.'s 80th, Regiment; Lieutenant Desborough, H. M.'s. 27th Regiment; Lieutenant A. Ford; Surgeon Meane; about 118 invalids; 57 men detached, Royal Horse Artillery; 23 women, and 30 children H. M.'s. Royal and Indian armies.—*Englishman, Jan.* 15.

We hear from Lahore that certain Punjab Civilians have applied to his Excellency the Viceroy, for medals and clasps for the campaign of 1845-46 and 1848-49; and that, to their great dissatisfaction, his Excellency has refused to entertain their claims.—*Id.*

In July last we made allusion to a memorial, signed by a large number of Bengal Civilians, which was forwarded through the Government of India to the Secretary of State for India, with, as we believe, the strong support of the Viceroy, praying for the grant of privilege leave at the end of service; in modification of the existing rule, which insists on the recipient of privilege leave returning to his post for three months after its expiry. The Secretary of State, we have now learnt, has refused to grant their prayer, on the ground of its shortening the period of residence in India qualifying for an annuity; and because it is objectionable that a civil servant, though entitled to three months' privilege leave, if remaining in service, should enjoy the same when vacating an office to which he does not intend to return. The memorial, in short, has been altogether rejected, and civil servants retiring on annuities must, if they vacate their appointments prior to the first of May, remain subject to proportionate deductions from their pay; a perfectly reasonable ruling. We do not blame the retiring members of the Service for trying to close up their accounts with the State on the most favourable terms; but we should have been very greatly surprised if they had succeeded in this attempt upon Sir Charles Wood. He turns a deaf ear to all Indian petitions of the sort; except indeed from Princes "well recommended or capable of Russapuljan rebellions."—*Id.*

MADRAS.

The Right Wing of the 3rd Battalion 60th Rifles located in Fort St. George embarks at half past 6 A. M. this day on board the Steamer "*Sydney*" and Transport "*Seaforth*" and their families in the afternoon on the latter vessel for Rangoon.—*Times, Jan.* 18.

We are sorry to inform our readers the rumour which has already appeared respecting the order from Calcutta for the disbanding of eight more regiments of the Madras army is strictly true; but we are also given to understand that *Sir Hope Grant* leaves Madras by the next steamer for Calcutta, though we can scarcely expect that his visit to the head quarters of the Supreme Government will deter the Calcutta authorities from the proposed measure.—*Athenæum, Jan.* 18.

COCHIN.

For the season of the year, the weather has been very unsettled throughout the week. We have been favored with one or two smart showers of rain, attended with much lightning and thunder. This unexpected change has rendered the atmosphere cool and agreeable, and been of good service in laying the dust in our streets.—*Courier, January* 11.

We have to announce the arrival of the ship *Alliance*, Captain Simpson, on her way from Singapore to Jedda, with 425 pilgrims. The vessel sprung a leak, which necessitated a deviation from her voyage, with a view to effect the necessary repairs at this Port. The passengers are being landed, and are to be located in a yard at Vypeen on the margin of the backwater.

As the vessel is likely to be detained here for some six weeks, we think that so large a number of pilgrims being congregated in one locality is highly objectionable on sanitary grounds; and would strongly suggest that they should be accommodated, in separate parties, at different parts of the Town and its suburbs. We also trust the Police will exercise particular vigilance to preserve the peace, and protect the strangers from being molested.—*Id.*

SIND.

THE FOREST DEPAREMENT.—We are glad to learn that an increase to the Forest Department in Sind has been sanctioned, with the view of securing a more efficient conservancy of this source of revenue to Government. An Inspector has been appointed to each Division, one on Rs. 300 and 2 on Rs. 200 each. The employment of European inspectors on such liberal salaries, will secure to Government greater efficiency in the management of

In thus pandering to disaffection he forgot he was a salaried functionary of this ungodly and vermin-infested administration (Professor of *Belles Letters* at Lyons University), a point to which Persigny directs his attention, removing him from further contact with such contamination. The Marquis de Flers resigned his official position *after* similar lampoons on his employers; such a step should have been preliminary thereto, and on these grounds alone can governmental severity be defended. The blow is, however, clearly dealt at the French Academy, which I had occasion yesterday to notice as a nest of discontented plotters in the mere interest of faction, utterly indifferent to popular rights or national dignity, but using both as plausible pretences.

Within its circle the favourite candidate in succession to Lacordaire is a M. de Carne, writer in *L' Ami de la Religion*, but it seems this academic aspirant finds that organ too moderate for his fiery zeal, as he publishes a formal notice of his withdrawal from any further collaboration. Exaggerated partisanship is not peculiar to French enthusiasts; over the water Dr. Brownson, of New York, denounces in his *Quarterly Review* the episcopacy of his co-religionists in the Southern States for adherence to their flocks in the present struggle, taking to task the Bishop of Charleston for his remonstrance, in reply to Archbishop Hughes. Brownson is for carring fire and sword from the Potomac to the Mexican Gulf, and affirms that if not thoroughly thrashed the Southerns must and will conquer the North, which must per force, and in self-defence, annex itself to Canada for protection. He sees the ruin of manufacturing industry in Massachusetts, Vermont, and the cradle States of New England, the inevitable junction of the Missouri and Mississippi Valleys with the South, the loss of Kentucky, with the far West, and the reduction of all Federal remnant with an insignificant circle of unfavoured territory, doomed to future absorption by slavery. Bedlamite raving has superseded calm sense on either side, but the Palmetto States can scarcely claim the palm just now of transcendant violence.

The trade of Havre has received notification by last mail that the Fulton regular packet is not to be expected when due at that port, the Federal authorities having pressed it into transport service for troops southwards. There seems to be a sad lack of any but mere river-going steamers at the disposal of the Federal Government. The *Moniteur de l' Armée* sets forth this penury of naval resources in a tabular form to-day, and contrasts such beggarly account with the formidable force arrayed against it: the conclusion being that to provoke hostile action is sheer insanity.

To the Editor of the Globe.

DUBLIN, *Dec.* 16.

SIR,—In November last I wrote to you, showing that the troops for Montreal and Quebec ought to be landed at Metis, Bic, or River De Loup, whence the Railway runs to Point Levi (South Quebec) Montreal, and other parts of the province. In the *Army and Navy Gazette* of Saturday was'a letter against this route, and in favour of St. John, N. B., referring to our troops going out in 1805, 1837, and 1843; but the writer forgets that we had no screw steamships, no steam transports, no railways in Canada, no lights in the Gulf of St. Lawrence in those days; and that therefore St. John or Halifax had to be selected. He states the "paltry saving of 100 miles by sea" is not worth consideration—it is not; but the marching of troops 400 miles with the sufferings of 1837 and 1843, told in the leader of the *Army and Navy Gazette*, ought to prevent a repetition, when steamers can make 250 miles against 16 of a marching regiment per day, doing in two the work of a month's labour and toil on land, without any sufferings. *The wives* and families of the men need fear no danger.

Lord Palmerston deserves the thanks of the nation and Canada for his promptness. The Gulf of St. Lawrence is not worse in winter than the Pentland Frith, the German Ocean, or Cape Horn. "Wherever there is a will there is a way," and in finding it our jolly tars and red jackets never yet failed. Except by the St. Lawrence our troops cannot reach Montreal in time. By it and the Grand Trunk Railway they will be there on the 18th day from England, even with a 50 or 60 miles' march. The Saguenay is always open, the ice in the Gulf being only on the shore, not one-fourth the thickness of that on the Lakes, without any berge.

THREE WINTERS IN THE NORTHERN STATES, ONE IN QUEBEC, AND TWICE ROUND THE HORN IN WINTER (FAST IN THE ICE FOR SOME DAYS).

PREPARATIONS FOR WAR.

(From the Times, Dec. 26.)

In the event of a war with America we should suddenly find ourselves engaged in hostilities with a powerful and adventurous people, strong in maritime resources, and participating in our own national familiarity with the risks and dangers of the deep. Such an enemy is not to be held cheap. It is quite true that the Americans have at present no fleet which could pretend to cope with the royal Navy of England, and we may even say, perhaps, that they have hardly a single vessel which could be matched for speed and armament against the best specimens of the same class from our own sgundrons. The supremacy of the seas, therefore, in a general sense, would certainly be ours; and it is equally certain that we could blockade all the chief ports of the Federal States without the slighest difficulty. But the Americans possess maritime resources of no ordinary kind, and they are second to none in the skill with which they can employ them. The Northern States are full of building yards, and abound with timber and all other materials required in naval arsenals. We may depend upon it that our adversaries will lose not a moment after the declaration of war in pressing forward the construction and equipment of cruisers, and it must be expected that many of these vessels will, as in the last war, elude the blockade and prowl about the ocean in quest of prey. They may hope, in any case, to snap up our merchantmen and derange our commerce, but the more adventurous spirits among them may not improbably fly at higher game. It is quite possible that while England is ruling undisputed mistress of the waves a Yankee frigate may appear some fine morning off one of our ports and inflict no slight damage upon us before anything could be done to stop her." We have a long coast line to defend, and our enterprising enemy might quietly mark out his point of attack, and try the chances of the adventure. It would be rather a desperate service, no doubt, but it is precisely by such exploits that the Americans would attempt to establish a reputation, and redress the balance of loss and gain in the incidents of the war.

We happen, it is true, at the present time, to be unusually well prepared for such contingencies. Our coast defences have been reorganized, our fortifications have been greatly strengthened and extended, and our ordnance as well as our navy has been reconstructed. We have a very large flotilla of gunboats especially fitted for service on our own coasts, and we have an efficient Naval Reserve fully competent to meet the demand for seamen. Besides this, in every maritime county we have Militia Artillery, and we have also Volunteer Artillery, and even Volunteer Engineers. There is not a port in the kingdom but has recently taken thought how to defend itself against attack. At many points new batteries have been thrown up and new guns mounted, while the local Artillery is always at hand to turn these defences to account. These are incalculable advantages, but it still does not follow that at some one point an enemy's frigate might not detect an opportunity for mischief, and we have lately published some communications purporting to show that one of our principal ports is actually exposed to visitation of this very kind. It is declared that an American cruiser, if she could get across the Atlantic and thread her way through St. George's Channel, might undoubtedly enter the Mersey, and so hold the shipping of Liverpool at her mercy for some hours together.

We take this case, then, as a good specimen of the whole, and it would be easy, we think, to show that, we have most effective means of defence at our command. Liverpool has abundance of vessels available for service, and abundance of sailors to man them. The Mersey swarms with tugboats, ferryboats, and boats of every description, so built as to be perfectly capable of carrying a heavy gun or two. The population of Liverpool is already enrolled in brigades of Infantry and battalions of Artillery and Engineers. The town, in fact, contains within itself all those materials out of which the Northern States of America have formed a Federal Navy. The expedition to Port Royal was composed for the most part, of vessels not a bit stronger than could be procured by the score in the waters of the Mersey, and those vessels were manned in haste by New England fishermen. Some months ago Mr. Laird, who has just addressed us afresh on the subject, called the attention of Government to the extraordinary resources for self-defence which Liverpool possessed, and his suggestions for turning these to practical account were approved by the officers deputed by Government to inquire into the matter. Here, then, we have exactly what we want—good ships, good men to man them, and good will for the service. All that is asked of Government is that it should furnish guns, of which there can be no lack, and make compensation for the equipment and occasional use of the vessels employed.

We introduce this subject to the public because we are sure that it indicates the true principles of national defence. It is quite impossible that the Royal Navy can furnish a squadron for every sea and a guardship for every port. Something must be left to local resources, and, indeed, it is exactly this combination of voluntary service with national action which constitutes true power. The Queen's ships can scour the seas and keep the Channel, but enemies like the Americans will now and then run the blockade if endeavoured by an easy prey at the end of the voyage. Against these visitors it will be quite sufficient to establish local defences. An American cruiser would not run the risk of an engagement by which she might be crippled or delayed. She would mark out spots left unprotected through carelessness or confidence, pounce upon her prey and be at sea again before any ship could get on her track. She would find her reward in the credit which such success would bring her, and in the renown which would attend an enterprise so intrepid and audacious. It is useless to urge that this would be a barbarous and useless system of tactics, for it would, in fact, be the only system open to the Americans in a contest with a navy like ours. They have no line-of-battle ships, and they cannot keep the sea with powerful fleets. Their blows would be aimed at our commerce and our pride. They would endeavour to intercept our merchant vessels, and to alarm us on our own shores. If some smart San Jacinto should actually succeed in entering the Mersey or the Humber in defiance of a Channel squadron, the exploit would be set off, and not unreasonably against our displays of force along the Federal coasts. The Americans would tell the world that all the maritime power of Britain could not secure its ports against their cruisers, and we should be left to infer that an enemy so successful in spite of such odds had better be conciliated than encountered. Of course, we could spread alarms and inflict injuries in our turn, but that would count for little in the estimate. We, as the stronger Power, should be expected to do so, but it would be the weaker Power which would get credit for the achievement. These peculiar risks we can only meet by a system of local defences. When the Americans know that our ports are at least so far protected that they cannot be attacked with impunity or damaged without a struggle, they will not venture on making the attempt. Their only hope of success lies in the chance of a surprise. Take away this chance, and their opportunities are gone. Nothing is wanted beyond such means of defence as may be always and immediately available. If there is a flotilla of gunboats which can be sent out, or a battery which can be manned at the first appearance of a hostile sail, enough will have been done. No enemy will then run the risk of the adventure, and the necessary precautions ought to be taken without delay. Even if we may indulge the hope that the Federal Government will not persist in refusing our present just demands, we can never be sure that the convulsions and quarrels of the disunited States may not bring an American war to our doors.

TRADE AND FINANCE.

(From the Daily News, Dec. 16.)

The proofs presented from day to day of the constantly increasing abundance of money are attracting a good deal of attention. The accumulation has been promoted by the gradual slackening of business, experienced for some months past, by the important diminution which is now taking place in our imports of foreign corn, by the partial suspension of the cotton trade, and even by the political anxieties that have recently arisen. Each of these causes contributes to check the commercial demand for money. When trade diminishes in activity, it is clear that less money is required to carry it on with. Sufficient importance has not been attached to the influence which the paralysis in the cotton trade has upon the supply of bills, and consequently upon the money market. The effect as regards our foreign commercial relations is that, in consequence of the inability of America to send over the usual supply of cotton bills, the exchange has arisen to a point which, to the dismay of the New York and Boston bankers, loaded as they are with public securities, is inducing a prospect of a reflux of gold from America to England. America as a rule, is always indebted to this country, the balance being thrown against her to no small amount by the kind of tribute which she is under the obligation of paying, as interest on the vast amount of our capital embarked in her Federal, State, City, Railway, and other securities. Under ordinary circumstances, as we know, she spares the balance by sending us, in addition to large quantities of cotton, corn, and other produce, a considerable amount of gold, which she derives from her Californian possessions. The important part which cotton plays in the adjustment of the general balance is indicated by the fact that, now that the American cotton is being withheld from us, even the shutting out of our goods from consumption in America, by tariff arrangements and other means, has not prevented the exchange between that country and England from rising to a little over par. Let the advance proceed a little further, and—always supposing that the Americans do not relieve themselves of their immediate pecuniary liabilities by going to war with us—gold will certainly quit New York for Europe. It seems hardly likely that these remittances will be of large amount, considering that in the first three quarters of the present year our exports of goods of all kinds to the "United States" have been only 6,472,753*l.*, against 15,765,014*l.* in the same period of last year, and 17,128,062*l.* in 1859, while our imports from America have been no less than 43,025,809*l.* in the three quarters of the present year, against 33,778,183*l.*, in the nine months of 1860, and 25,591,183*l.* in 1859. But America at present needs all the gold she has got. At a time when such vast masses of government paper are being created, and when so much depends upon their being constantly absorbed by the general public, it is exceedingly important that no check should be given to public confidence, such as would arise from a recommencement of the export of gold. We may be sure, therefore, that every measure will be devised to obviate this contingency. It is with this view that the pulse of the London market has been privately felt on more than one occasion during the civil war, for in proportion as American Federal securities might be placed in England, the "indebtedness" of America to this country would be reduced, or, were the balance against England, as it unquestionably was during the whole of last year and the first portion of the present one, when we were importing American grain so largely, its amount would be increased in favour of America. From this means of relief the Federal Government have now effectually debarred themselves. The same fear of creating an adverse balance of payments to England, and a consequent drain of specie from the New York banks, has caused the Government to defer to the clamorous demands of the American contractors that clothing and other equipments for the army should be purchased in the dearest maket—that is to say, at home.

While the absence of the usual medium of remittance afforded by cotton bills to the amount of a score of millions sterling is thus raising a new financial difficulty for America, the effect upon our money market is of course favourable. In the first place, we keep at home all that amount of money which we should, under ordinary circumstances, invest in American produce; and, as the other countries to which we are now turning for cotton, cannot as yet furnish it to anything like the requisite extent, it follows that many millions of money destined for foreign expenditure are absolutely for the present locked up. They are driven into the coffers of England and of other bankers, where they go on accumulating, in a profitless manner. The effect upon the discount market may be imagined when it is borne in mind that every bale of cotton in its passage from the scene of production to its transmitation into a manufactured article on the linen drapers' shelves, is represented by paper—we are almost afraid to say how many times its original value. There are probably at least six distinct sets of bills created, nearly the whole of which come for negotiation in the discount market. Multiply by six the value of that portion of the American cotton crop which is ordinarily consumed or manufactured in this kingdom, and we arrive at an astonishing aggregate; yet even then we do not get an adequate idea of the immense volume of internal trade connected with this one branch of the national industry. It is scarcely necessary to remark that a check to this kind of business, though it may be accompanied by a rise in the Bank of England reserve to ten or eleven millions, and in the Bank bullion to fifteen or sixteen millions, or more, is not a national gain, but rather a national disagreement. Money is thrown out of remunerative employment. Capitalists get lower rates for it, because merchants and manufacturers will no longer take it off their hands, being unable themselves to use it in a profitable manner. The whole scale of profits is thereby reduced, beginning with the importer, and extended through the manufacturer down to the operative, of which latter class, engaged in the cotton manufacture, nearly one-half of the members are computed to be now either partially or wholly unemployed.

Considering the operation of these causes upon the discount and money markets—the great diminution which is taking place in the amount of mercantile bills in existence, and the prospect of our having still less to pay away abroad for the raw material of the greatest of our manufactures—it is not only easy to understand why the rate of discount has fallen to so low a point, and why the supply of idle money is so excessive, but it becomes difficult to discover how a still greater accumulation of floating capital can be prevented. This is not a gain, but an evil; it is at least full of the seeds of evil. Money, through being steadily thrown out of healthy employment for a year or two together, accumulates at last to such a mass that the public get tired of holding it, and are tempted to embark it in other ventures, sometimes of an irregular character. This usually happens when dark political clouds, which have long overhung and repressed enterprise, are suddenly blown away. The return of confidence finds a pile of idle money, which legitimate trade, no matter how fast it may work, cannot possibly absorb with a rapidity equal to the impatience of the holders. The consequence is speculation—inflation. With a vast surplus of money, and a confident condition of the public mind, these results have rarely been wanting. At present we are merely working at the accumulation, and have not yet arrived at the pitch of confidence required to inaugurate a mania, and to induce us to shovel out our wealth by wholesale. Even a three per cent. rate of discount is at present quite powerless to stimulate enterprise. It is accompanied, in fact, by a decline, instead of an increase, in business. This fact renders it almost certain that the glut of money will yet become more oppressive. We cannot see into the future, and tell how it will ultimately be worked off, but there is a growing though as yet, perhaps, a distant prospect of an era of speculative excitement. This would of course be retarded by war.

The immediate commercial feature, as we pointed out last week, is the anxiety of the community to reduce their outstanding engagements until the question of peace or war between this country and American shall have been decided. Now, suspense, more than any other condition of the public mind, conduces to the accumulation of idle money. Bankers, in particular, let their money at such times; that is to say, just at a period when, owing to the diminished inducements to enterprise, borrowers become careless of borrowing, bankers may be for the moment less eager to lend. Thus the little enterprise that exists may receive, perhaps, a further check, and bankers' reserves may rise still faster. There was one quarter in which, latterly, an opening had been presented for the employment of a portion of our surplus, and that was France, where, by a reversal of the usual order of things, the rate of interest was six per cent., while ours was three. But France has apparently tided over the worst of the pressure; and though there is always a suspicion that the rate of interest in that country is regulated too much by Imperial decree, the increase of 1,600,000*l.* in the bullion in the Bank, as shown in the return published on Friday, justifies the reduction in the charge of that establishment to five per cent. It is probable, therefore, that we may soon have thrown back on our hands even that portion of our floating capital which we had sent over for employment on the other side of the Channel during the commercial crisis. In financial matters there is not a cloud in any quarter. The gloom arises solely from political complications, and will not disappear until they are solved, no matter how long and dreary may be the interval.

The present depressed, though expectant, attitude of the monetary world contrasts strongly with the feeling of hopefulness with which, prior to the occurrence of the difficulty with America, the advent of the New Year had been looked for. Money was abundant beyond all wants; the Emperor of the French had spoken with unaccustomed energy in favour of financial reform and retrenchment; the alarmists on the Paris Bourse were beginning to entertain an apprehension that there would be "no First of January" for them; while the proposed visit of the Emperor Napoleon to our Court at the opening of the Great Exhibition seemed to afford a fresh guarantee for political tranquillity. Public securities were already evincing a degree of elasticity unknown for a long time past, and there were many indications of a steady growth of confidence. One day's news has been sufficient to give it a complete check. We can only hope that the clouds in the West which now so gloomily darken the horizon may be scattered. But the last days of the departing year are days of mourning and calamity for England.

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